



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

by Mayor Mike Callahan

Call 301-773-0248 to contact the Mayor. The Mayor's door at the Community Center is open to visitors on **Monday evenings** from 7:30 to 9:30 PM, except holidays or if otherwise posted.

Cheverly Survives June: Who says weather patterns aren't changing? Not only are the patterns changing, but we also have to learn a whole new vocabulary to describe the events: Micro-burst and Derecho. What next an earthquake? Oh yeah, we already had one.

The Town Council would like to give a "shout out" to all our residents who chipped in and helped one another during these storms. Those lucky few residents with power shared their refrigerators, charged neighbors cell phones, watched neighbors pets and offered cooling stations. The Community Market (much like the postman) said the show must go on and sure enough we enjoyed a great market in spite of the lack of power. Its times like these when we realize just what a great and caring community Cheverly is.

And How About our Town Staff? Our Town Staff is truly a source of pride for our community. Within hours after Derecho our Police Department identified all fallen trees and had checked in on residents who suffered serious property damage ensuring they were safe.

By midnight Friday night, the Public Works staff had cleared the major streets. Then they went home to take a nap, only to return by 7:00am Saturday morning. They worked tirelessly to clean our streets, parks and sidewalks. We can't thank the Public Works staff enough for their efforts, which continued throughout the month of July.

I have been asked by many residents, "**What can I do to thank the Public Works staff?**" Many residents bake cookies, cakes, and make meals for the staff. Trust me; the Public Works team appreciates all these gestures. However, I wanted to mention one tradition that many residents are unaware of. I only became aware of this tradition after becoming Mayor. During the month of December the Town Office collects cash donations from residents specifically for Public Works. Many long time residents just stop in and make a donation. Last year over \$1,000 was collected and distributed directly to the staff. Please do not take this as a solicitation... I simply wanted to make sure folks were aware of the tradition.

What about Pepco – and the Power situation?

Obviously living without power, particularly in the heat of summer and the cold of winter is extremely uncomfortable

As you are all aware, Pepco has been in town for over 18 months clearing tree limbs, replacing poles and wires. It's difficult to see the benefits of this work when we continue to lose power. However, I think it's important for us to look at each storm and to understand the issues surrounding them. The first storm was highly localized between Cheverly and Bladensburg. Since there was so much damage in such a small area, Pepco had over 25 trucks on site here in Cheverly. The damage was severe, and Pepco had to replace over 13 poles, many in alleys where the poles needed to be hand carried. Getting power back in 48 hours was a significant

The second storm was much different. There was limited damage here in Cheverly (hopefully that can be attributed to the work they've done), however there were lots of issues outside of town. With only two or three trucks Pepco had over 95% of Cheverly's power up in less than 48 hours.

We will continue to work with Pepco, both directly and as part of the Prince George's County Municipal Association (PGCMA) to address issues with power and the duration of outages. The council will discuss Pepco Issues in the July work session and determine what our next steps should be. Pepco will also be attending the August 9th Town Meeting to discuss the implementation of Smart Meters.

Tax Cap Rides Again: The Town Council was informed by the Town Administrator that a clerical error in the Tax Cap Ordinance required the town to maintain its Tax Cap at .58/\$100 in FY13. The clerical error was an incorrect effective date, which was not identified in our discussions. Due to this issue, the council was not able to implement the tiered tax rates it had hoped to in FY13, where Multi-Family Properties would have paid .98/\$100 and all other properties would have paid .58/\$100. Instead this year all property types will pay the .58/\$100 rate.

The Chart below illustrates the sources of Cheverly's property tax revenue. Please note that if we had implemented the .98/\$100 tax rate on the Multi-Family properties we would have collected \$179,298 from Multi Family units, which is approximately \$73,000 more than what is listed below.

Property Type	Total Assessment	Pct	Total Tax @ .58
Single Family	\$ 394,204,714	81.1%	2,286,387
Multi Family	\$ 18,295,766	3.8%	106,115
Commercial	\$ 21,296,666	4.4%	123,520
Industrial	\$ 50,989,700	10.5%	295,740
Total	\$ 485,786,846		

Town Council will look to update the Town

Charter: During recent budget discussions the Council engaged in conversations about the Tax Cap and Referendum sections of our charter. Two questions arose: 1) Is the Tax Cap needed? 2) Is our referendum process reasonable?

Regarding the **Tax Cap**, the council attempted to raise the Tax Cap sufficiently so that it would not be an issue in the future. However, as mentioned above that legislation did not become effective. Therefore we will readdress this issue in the fall. One alternative we will review is eliminating the Tax Cap altogether. This may sound odd, but out of Maryland's 157 municipalities Cheverly is one of only 19 that have a Tax Cap.

Cheverly's charter allows residents to **petition for a referendum** on any ordinance if they obtain the signatures of 10% of qualified voters. We will review this provision and determine whether we should:

- 1) Raise the percentage from 10% to 20%. Once again of the 40% of municipalities who have a referendum provision the majority require 20% of qualified voters.
- 2) Create exclusions for Budget and Financial matters. Excluding these items is common for most municipalities with a referendum provision. If these types of ordinances were allowed to be petitioned it could cause significant disruption to town operations.

These topics will continue to be covered in future FYI's .

Why read the FYI?: There is a tremendous amount of information in the monthly newsletter, and we attempt to keep all residents informed of issues currently facing the town. Reading the FYI allows you to stay informed, but more importantly it gives you the opportunity to comment on these issues. If you either agree or disagree with items in the Newsletter please take a moment to contact me or your Councilperson and express your opinion.

Another reason to read the FYI, is everyone once in a while we give free gifts (very small) to the readers. So if you one of the first three callers to my office (301) 773-0248, you will receive a package of leaf bags from the town.

Residential Comcast Cable Surveys were due July 27th. If you did not receive a survey, you can email comments including your full name and address to: cablerenewal@co.pg.md.us



Message from the Chief Buddy Robshaw
(policechief@cheverly-md.gov)

TASK FORCE OPERATIONS – As many of you know, the summer months have historically been the months when crime is generally at its highest. In an effort to ensure that the Town's crime rate stays down as it has been for most of the year, the CPD has formed a Task Force of 5 officers to address specific "hot spot" areas of crime as well as locations with frequent traffic violations. These officers will work in uniform and plainclothes, adjust their hours frequently to address specific issues, and be fluid enough to respond to changing situations and patterns.

FREE HOME INSPECTIONS – Several members of the Department have received intensive training at schools specifically designed to teach officers how to perform residential/business security and safety inspections. These inspections are free for any Cheverly resident or business and all you have to do is telephone for an appointment. Please call today!

C-PACT/CHEVERLY WATCH RESIDENT RADIO PROGRAM MEETING – There will be a joint meeting of C-PACT (Cheverly – Citizens and Police Together), Cheverly's Neighborhood Watch Organization, and the Cheverly Watch Resident Radio Program on Wednesday, August 8, 2012, at 7:00 PM in the Police Department Conference Room.

ELDERWATCH – The CPD regularly visits the Town's elderly and infirmed in an effort to keep this important segment of the community up to date on crime issues and neighborhood events. These 10-15 minute visits are designed, not only for information sharing, but also to socialize. If any Cheverly resident knows of any elderly or infirmed persons living alone whom they believe would benefit from such contact, please notify Senora at the police station (301-341-1055).

TIP OF THE DAY – Look at alarm systems more towards the perspective of a notification device rather than a deterrent device. Because alarm companies make every effort to notify the homeowner before notifying the police of a current alarm, most criminals who commit B&E's know that they have a certain window of opportunity before the arrival of the police. This window may be up to 10

minutes or so, allowing suspects plenty of time to remove items from a home or business. On the other hand, an alarm system is useful for residents on vacation or who are away from the home for long periods of time. The alarm notification ensures that the police will be notified in the absence of the owner and can take specific steps to protect the residence until the owner can be notified. Be sure to tell the CPD when you are away and request a house check. In addition to the other required information, make sure you tell the CPD whether you have an alarm and how you can be contacted in the event the alarm is activated while you are away.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS –

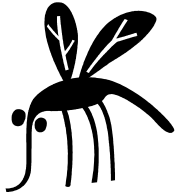
Police Emergency 9-1-1

Nonemergency Calls for Dispatch (301) 352-1200
Cheverly Police (301) 341-1055
Cheverly Police Facsimile (301) 341-0176
Cheverly Photo Enforcement (240) 770-7641
P. G. Towing (Towing Vendor) (301) 220-1170
Cheverly Investigators (301) 789-5090
(301) 789-8551
(301) 852-8457
Cheverly Traffic Officer (301) 789-7743

Crime Report for June 2012 (All addresses Are in Hundred Blocks)

Total Arrests for the Month: 40
Total Traffic for the Month: 583
Total Crime (Difference, YTD 2010-2011): -45%

06-05-12	1640 Hrs	2300 Bellevue Ave	Theft
06-06-12	1439 Hrs	2611 Pepsi Place	Stolen Auto
06-14-12	1650 Hrs	6300 Landover Rd	B&E
		Residential	
06-15-12	0839 Hrs	6500 Landover Rd	Theft
06-18-12	0017 Hrs	6000 Landover Rd	Robbery
06-18-12	1502 Hrs	6300 Landover Rd	B&E/
		Residential	
06-20-12	0723 Hrs	1700 62 nd Avenue	Theft
06-20-12	1452 Hrs	6400 Landover Rd	B&E/
		Attempt	
06-23-12	1050 Hrs	5600 Landover Rd	B&E
		Commercial	
06-26-12	1243 Hrs	3300 Cheverly Ave	Theft
06-27-12	0705 Hrs	Cheverly Circle	Theft
06-27-12	0833 Hrs	3100 Laurel Ave	Theft



MOSQUITO SPRAYING

Cheverly has been scheduled for adult mosquito surveillance and possible spraying on Tuesday nights. The program began in June, and will run through September. Their action threshold is 3 female mosquitoes in 2 minutes in a landing rate court or 24 female mosquitoes in a baited light trap. This may influence the amount of spraying done for adult mosquitoes. Due to variable weather conditions and other factors, they will not guarantee that surveillance or spraying will be done even if they receive complaints. The complaint areas will be checked first. If they receive no complaints, they may not do surveillance or spraying in our area. Please contact the Public Works Department if you notice any mosquitoes swarming. Note the problem area, time of day when the mosquitoes are the worst, and any area of stagnant water in their vicinity. We will notify the Department of Agriculture.

Need help with YARD WORK? To assist our elderly, and other residents who need help with yard work, Cheverly maintains this list of teenagers who are interested in being hired for mowing lawns, raking leaves, shoveling snow, etc.

Cheverly teenagers can call the town office at 301-773-8360 if they wish to add their names to this list

Aswan Mangrum	301-609-0585
Nicholas Lal	301-773-0635
Xavier Pinkney	240-478-4622
Dorian Dixon	301-322-1075
Andrew Teel	301-386-0049
Andrew & Ashley Priest	301-772-6028
Max & Jake Allegro	301-322-4952
James Porcari	301-341-2471
Xavier Miliam	301-583-1028
Emmanuel Mitchell	301-773-6863
John Pooley	301-537-6819
Ben Hartmann	301-772-6596
Byron Bamigbade	301-583-1028
Malik & Tyreq McAdoo	240-463-6152
Jack Alkire	301-772-0110
Ian Sullivan	301-341-5284

TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

MON Town Wide YARD WASTE

MON East side Regular Garbage Pickup only

TUE West side Regular Garbage Pickup only

WED Town wide RECYCLING (blue or yellow bins)

THU East side Garbage & SPECIAL TRASH (at curb)

FRI West side Garbage & SPECIAL TRASH (at curb)

Residents should place trash at the curb after 7:00PM the day before your pickup.

Trash must be placed in cans with tight fitting lids to ward off rodents.



BAMBOO is picked up with Thursday/Friday Special Trash. Tied up and bundled not longer than 4'

ELECTRONICS are picked up on Wednesday with recycling. TV's any size, computers (remove hard drive), monitors, keyboards, etc. Place these items next to your recycle bucket.

APPLIANCES - Washers, dryers, stoves, dishwashers, refrigerators/freezers (remove doors) microwaves (any size), A/C units (any size) - \$20 for removal, contact Public Works at 301-773-2666

HOLIDAYS? Public Works crews DO NOT work on holidays. Collections on holidays are **CANCELLED**

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Cheverly Community Market News

Mother Nature certainly decided to make her presence known last month! Here's to fewer storms and more long, lazy days of summer.

Last month, Cheverly Community Market celebrated the Buy Local Challenge in which participants pledge to eat at least one locally grown item each day. Why limit this to a single week or even month? Let's all try and eat local and eat fresh as much as we can. We're kicking off our own "Buy Local Challenge" in August with a new idea: **Make It Maryland Month**. Stop by

the Market on August 11 or 25 and stock up on Maryland-grown and Maryland-produced items for those staycations, family picnics, and weekend grilling sessions!

The season's bounty is in full force in August. Asian pears, melons, blackberries, and peaches! Green beans, corn, cucumbers, peppers and squash! Stop by and say hello to Emma from C & E Farms for some fresh greens – they're great topped with grilled tomatoes from Shlagel Farms, grilled peaches from the Reberts and drizzle with a balsamic vinaigrette - now that's what I call a salad!

Grilling is King in the summer. Waltz Family Farm has delicious pork, beef, and lamb for your next summer BBQ. Going on vacation this summer? Why not pack a cooler with Simply Sausage's delicious sausages or how about some fabulous fish from Two Oceans?

Make It Maryland isn't just about fresh veggies and fruit. Artisanal cheeses from Palmyra Cheese/Cherry Glen Goat Cheese or Eve's Cheese, bread from Cheverly Bread Basket, yummy treats from Classic & Carefree Bake Shoppe and Cakes by Ruthann...add a bottle of wine from Cygnus Winery and you have the makings for a complete meal. **KidMarket** is back on August 11 with **Make-a-Monster-Face Cupcakes!** The Cake Pop lady herself, Cheverly's very own Liz Eposito, will guide kids through making funny monster faces on their cupcakes using yummy candies and other delicious decorations. Check our site (<http://www.cheverlycommunitymarket.com>) for the complete KidMarket schedule.

We've enjoyed your recipe postings and pictures of meals made from Market items on our Facebook page and we've used some of your ideas for our own meals! Keep checking Facebook and our blog (<http://cheverlycommunitymarket.blogspot.com/>) -- we'll continue to add recipes and ideas from the Market community to help you **Make It Maryland** this summer.

As always, make sure you are up on the latest events, musical guests, and vendor news by following us on Twitter (@CheverlyMarket), stop by our Facebook page (search "Cheverly Community Market") and read our blog. At Cheverly Community Market, we're happy to share summer with you!

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CUMC - Vacation Bible School (VBS)

We want to thank everyone in the Cheverly Community who participated and supported our VBS this year. We had 46 participants. One parent commented, "VBS was a great experience for our kids. Besides making new friends and reconnecting with classmates, the added value of learning the word of God in the most practical, fun and childlike manner was a plus. Our kids were very excited to be a part of this program and are already looking forward to next year's. What a wonderful opportunity and we thank the VBS team for its dedication and hard work."

EVENING HYMN SING AND DESSERT SOCIAL

Wednesday, August 8, 2012 7:00 – 9:00 P.M.
Cheverly United Methodist Church

You bring: yourself/ your family /friends & neighbors and a dessert for sharing

We will provide: ice cream and beverages

Tell us what your favorite hymns are so we can include them in the hymn sing.

Use the RSVP forms on the flyers at the church or call the church office (301 773 1314)

Progressive Cheverly forum, Thurs Sept. 6th.

Two bills passed by the Maryland General Assembly have been petitioned to referendum and will be on the November ballot: Civil marriage equality for gay and lesbian residents, and the Dream Act, allowing undocumented residents who came here as children to pay in-state college tuition. Hear experts talk about why we should be supporting these bills as passed by the General Assembly ask your questions and learn how you can get involved. 7:00 pm, Cheverly United Methodist Church, Fogle Hall.

Spellman PTA Update

Many thanks to everyone who donated gently used and new uniforms for the GNS Uniform Drive! Special thanks to GNS Parent Aisha Abram for spreading the word and starting the collection early. The Annual GNS School Supply drive has begun! Please watch the community listservs for details about needs and weekly specials or contact Ann Barsi at abarsi@verizon.net to see how you can help.

Kindergarten Orientation will take place on Thursday, August 16, from 9:30am - 11am in the GNS multi-purpose room. All incoming Kindergarten students and their parents should plan to attend. The first day of school for all students is Monday, August 20.

Need to register your child?

Visit <http://www1.pgcps.org/gladysnoonspellman> to get details on what forms and information you will need to register your rising kindergartner or any new Spellman elementary students.

Before and After Care

The PTA has been actively working to get assurances from PGCPs that before and after care services will be provided on-site at Spellman next year. Care is provided beginning at 7am and ending at 6pm. The annual tuition is \$3,000, payable in installments of \$145.00 bi-weekly. It is critical that we have a minimum of 45 students registered, so if you have a child at Spellman and are interested, be sure to register your child so they are included in the headcount. Early registration will start up again on August 13.

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WOMAN'S CLUB - As we write this month's article, we are in the midst of our Cheverly Peace Camp 2012 . We wish you were here to witness the wonderful happenings for peace. More than 60 people, ages 4-70 are coming together each day to learn and practice skills of peace. We know that what we're doing is furthering the development of Dr. King's Beloved Community and taking us one step closer to peace on the planet.

Wangari, a well-known African peacemaker understood that persistence, patience and commitment - to an idea as small as a seed but as tall as a tree that reaches for the sky - must be planted in every child's heart. Wangari said, "Young people, you are our hope and our future." Cheverly is giving its young people the environment and skills to carry us all forward.

Join your friendly neighborhood environmental group, **Friends of Lower Beaverdam Creek**, on Saturday, August 25 between 9 am and noon for our monthly Work Party. We will be removing invasive plants from the area by Magruder Spring. We'll meet at the entrance to the trail that is on Cheverly Avenue, close to the intersection of Cheverly Ave and Columbia Park Road--just one-half block down the street from the Cheverly 7-11 and about a block from the Cheverly Metro. Tools, gloves, snacks, and water will be provided. As always, school community service hours are available. Hope to see you there! For more information, contact either Sheila Salo, who will be coordinating July's work session (ssalo@capaccess.org) or contact Joani Horchler at 301-802-7445 (cell) or horecpool97@aol.com.

COMPOST BINS FOR \$20—SoilSaver compost bins are available to Cheverly residents for only \$20 (reg. price up to \$99.98 at Amazon & other locations). The low price has been made possible by grants from the Town of Cheverly, the Cheverly Garden Club, and Progressive Cheverly. Purchase a bin at the **Cheverly Community Market** or by contacting Doug Alexander at: dalexander@nieinstitute.org

Download the 3-page Composting Guide at:
www.nieinstitute.org/compost.pdf

This is a comprehensive plan to encourage all residents to compost. The Composting Program has already reduced Town tipping fees and improved overall waste management. You'll also produce great compost to amend your garden, bushes and lawn. The goal is to place 400 bins over 3-years that will save the Town over \$56,000 in tipping fees over the next 10-years. If you know of any organization that would consider making a grant / donation to support our Town composting efforts, please e-mail me the information.



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Challenger British Soccer returns to Cheverly for a THIRD week, August 6-10! Sponsored by the Cheverly Soccer Club, this British MultiSports camp, the only one of its kind in Maryland, will help campers to develop their soccer skills and introduce them to the basics of cricket, rounders, flag rugby, and other sports with a British accent.

Campers are assured a week of action-packed fun and friendly competition! Camp registration is available online at <https://registration.challengersports.com/FindACamp/FindACampSkillbuilder.asp?IdS=000FCB-38C4CC0&method=CampSession&Key=0|2|21611&SessionKeyList=> . Full- and half-day registrations are available.

We hope to see you on the pitch! In the meantime, here are some fun facts about Cricket, Rounders, and Rugby:



The modern game of **Cricket** was developed in England in the 16th century. The longest cricket match in history occurred in 1939 between England and South Africa. The match lasted for 14 days and finally ended in a tie. England needed 42 more runs to win, but the team's boat was sailing home the next day and so the match was abandoned and declared a draw. A batsman can be dismissed, or declared out, in 10 different ways.



Rounders has been played in England since Tudor times. Baseball is thought to originate from the game of rounders, although this theory is heartily debated! The earliest reference to rounders is in a book, *A Little Pretty Pocket-Book, intended for the Amusement of Little Master Tommy and Pretty Miss Polly with Two Letters from Jack the Giant Killer*. Published in 1744 and written by John Newberry, the book is considered to be the first children's book.



Rugby balls are oval-shaped because the original balls, made by a cobbler near Rugby School, were fashioned from pigs' bladders. These bladders naturally became oval-shaped when inflated. The USA is the reigning Olympic rugby.

The USA won the gold for rugby in 1924, and the sport has not been played at the Olympics since.

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ZUMBA GOLD is a low-impact, easy-to-follow Latin-inspired cardio dance fitness party, perfect for moms at home, evening workers & seniors. You will relieve stress, have tons of fun and burn lots of calories! Cheverly Community Center, Tue 9-10 am & Fri 12:30-1:30 pm. \$7/class

The Recreation Council—FALL FLEA MARKET

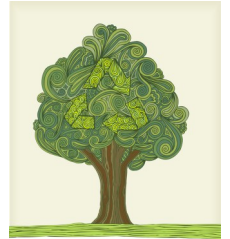
will be held Saturday, October 13th, reservations start Tuesday September 4th. Tables are \$15.

Call Barbara-301-773-5883. Remember tables go fast, so don't wait too long to reserve yours.



Help Us Find the Biggest Tree in Cheverly

Nominate a tree in a town park, public space or a private residence and win a bottle of wine (or Sparkling cider if under 21) if you find the largest tree in Cheverly.



Total points are based on the circumference of the tree in inches + tree height in feet + 1/4 of the crown spread in feet. The tree with the most points wins!

A team of Cheverly residents will measure the tree and identify the species. A listing will be kept of all nominees and the winner will be announced at an October Community Market.

Please e-mail your nominee (including contact information if the tree is at a private residence) to: Chv.bigtrees@gmail.com

Cheverly Parents Resource Center (CPRC)

Screen on the Green. CPRC is bringing a favorite Washington D.C. area tradition to Cheverly! Mark your calendar for September 8 when we will say goodbye to summer and show a classic, animated family movie (TBD) on a big screen at Legion Park. The film for this free event will begin at dusk, around 7:30-8:00pm. Movie watchers can come early to claim a spot. So bring your favorite blanket, lawn chair, or both and relax with the entire family on a warm (we hope) September night. In the event of rain, the movie will be rescheduled. For more information, email communications@cheverlyparent.org.

Do you want to help support more CPRC events? This month begins our annual registration drive. The membership year begins in August 2012 and ends in July 2013. Your annual dues (only \$15) helps CPRC to sponsor valuable resources, events, and activities including: Morning playgroup, an informative web site (www.cheverlyparent.org), active listserves, welcome baskets for new Cheverly babies, community gifts, CPR and baby-sitting certification classes, workshops and speakers, book and toy swaps, outings to local parks and events (often free or reduced cost), a winter holiday party, and more.

CPRC is a community resource and a community responsibility. In addition to dues, CPRC members are asked to **donate time and/or materials to at least one event or activity during the year**. Even an hour of your time can really affect the success of an event (volunteering is also a great way to get to know other parents in town)! Join or renew online at www.cheverlyparent.org via Paypal.

Come play with us every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday when we (*with our children, of course!*) meet for summer morning playgroup at Gast "Cheese" Park from 9:00am until 11:00am. During the summer months we like to get our playtime in early to beat the heat!

Visit us on Facebook at CPRC.

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Cheverly American Legion Post 108

SHRIMP & BEEF ROAST August 11

The American Legion Post 108 is having an "All you can eat Shrimp & Beef Roast" on Sat Aug 11 (4:00-7:00pm). We are currently selling adult tickets in advance at the American Legion for \$25.00 (all you can eat); 12 and under half price, only sold at the door. Under 6 will be free. We will also have numerous games of chance like 50/50 raffle and pull tabs. Come out and celebrate the summer and have a wonderful opportunity to meet friends and neighbors, as well as help us continue taking care of our Veterans and sponsoring numerous non-profit organizations like our Boy Scouts, Cubs Scouts, Peace Camp, and Boxing Hall of Fame. After the Shrimp & Beef Roast all are welcome to continue the fun downstairs in the "Dug-Out."

If you live in Cheverly and want advanced tickets brought to your home, send us an email and we will deliver them to you. Our email is: CheverlyAmericanLegion@Yahoo.com. Our Post phone number is: 301 773-0108. Please get your tickets in advance, last year we sold out a week before the event.

Half Way to Saint Patrick's Day Celebration - Sept. 15

The American Legion Post 108 is planning an Irish celebration for Sept 15 complete with an Irish Band and Irish Dancers – so please put this on your calendar and stay tuned for more details.

Membership in the American Legion (membership fee \$25.00 a year) If you served honorably on active duty in the US Armed Forces (or are currently on active duty) during any of the following eligible war eras, you are invited to become a member of the American Legion:

Dec. 7, 1941 to Dec. 31, 1946 (World War II)
June 25, 1950 to Jan. 31, 1955 (Korean War)
Feb. 28, 1961 to May 7, 1975 (Vietnam War)
Aug. 24, 1982 to July 31, 1984 (Lebanon / Grenada)
Dec. 20, 1989 to Jan. 31, 1990 (Panama)
Aug. 2, 1990 to today (Gulf War/War On Terrorism)

Sons of the American Legion (membership \$20.00 a year)

Sons of The American Legion members include males of all ages whose parents, grandparents or great grandparents served in the U.S. military and were eligible for American Legion membership.

American Legion Auxiliary (membership \$20.00 a year)

Women are eligible for membership in the Auxiliary if they fall into one of the following categories: Wife, mother, sister, daughter, granddaughter, great granddaughter, grandmother, great grandmother of an active duty service member or veteran who served honorably during any of the eligible war eras listed.

**BROWN STATION LANDFILL
HOURS OF OPERATON
Household Hazardous Waste & Electronic
Recycling.**

Brown Station Rd Landfiill -
11611 White House Rd, Upper Marlboro

Thursday, Friday & Saturday 7:30 am—3:30 pm
Sunday—Closed

NO COMMERCIAL VEHICLES

YARD WASTE is to be placed at the curb on Sunday evening for Monday Pickup. If it is placed at the curb on any other day and a Public Works Truck or Staff are dispatched for its removal, a charge for this extra ordinary service will be levied.

**AS OF 7/23/12, STORM DAMAGE
PICKUP HAS BEEN COMPLETED**

Yard waste pickup regulations are back in effect. TIE & BUNDLE, 4' LENGHTS.

**RECYCLING TOTALS
June 2012**

Curb Recycling—45.37 tons
Electronic Recycling—0
Appliances—19
Turbine KW—no reading



Meeting Agendas are updated on website: www.cheverly-md.gov and on Cheverly cable channel 71.

**Town Meeting broadcast LIVE on Cable 71 & Fios 35.
Re-broadcast everyday at noon 6:00 PM & 10:00 PM**

ACTIONS TAKEN

Votes were unanimous unless otherwise noted.

Town Meeting - July 12, 2012

Worksession—July 21, 2012

- ☐ Motion CM Cook to excuse CM Coolen. Seconded CM Thorpe. Approved 4-0.
- ☐ Motion CM Eldridge to authorize a grant to the Cheverly Parents Resource Center for \$600 for a piece of accessible playground equipment at Gast Park. Seconded CM Riazi. Approved. 4-0.
- ☐ Motion CM Cook that the Town approve a \$1,000 grant to NIE Institute, Doug Alexander, for the purchase of composting bins from the FY13 Budget. Seconded CM Thorpe. Approved 4-0.

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Town Meeting - August 9, 2012

- ☐ Introduction Charter Amendment resolution CAR-3-12—Referendums
- ☐ Second Reading O-3-12 Amending the Off Street Parking Section.

Worksession - August 23, 2012

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Ward 1:	Laila Riazzi	202-258-6167
Ward 2:	Mary Jane Coolen	240-696-1176
Ward 3:	RJ Eldridge	301-773-7828
Ward 4:	David C. Thorpe	301-773-7888
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Email contact links at the website

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Public Works (M-F: 7:30-4) 301-773-2666
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WEB SITE: www.cheverly-md.gov
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Meetings & Events

GOVERNMENT EVENT SCHEDULE

Wed Aug 8 7:00 PM C-PACT Meeting
Thur Aug 9 8:00 PM TOWN MEETING
Thur Aug 23 7:30 PM WORKSESSION

REC ZUMBA - Sun 7-8 PM & Tues 7:30-8:30 PM
Cost \$5/class by the month or \$7 drop in fee.

CHEVERLY WEBSITE cheverly-md.gov

You can easily contact the Mayor & Council through their town email accounts. There are also links at the Mayor & Council pages of the website.

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COMMUNITY EVENT SCHEDULE

- ☐ Cheverly Community Market News
- ☐ Cheverly American Legion Post 108 - Shrimp Roast and Membership drive
- ☐ Woman's Club
- ☐ Friends of Lower Beaverdam Creek Work Party
- ☐ Compost Bins for sale
- ☐ Progressive Cheverly forum - Sept. 6.
- ☐ Challenger Soccer - Aug. 6-10
- ☐ Zumba gold—Tues 9-10, Fri 12:30-1:30
- ☐ Spellman PTA Update
- ☐ Cheverly United Methodist social—Aug. 8, 7-9 pm
- ☐ Biggest Tree Contest
- ☐ Cheverly Parents Resources Center (CPRC) events